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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Commissioner for Patents:

A certificate of correction is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

The following errors have been made:

In the Form PTOL-85, filed March 8, 2004, the first attorney listed on box number 2 was given as --Lisa K. Jorgenson-- but was incorrectly changed to "Eisa K. Jorgenson" in item [74], cover page of the issued patent.

In Claim 12, line 2, as originally filed on December 28, 2001, --oxidizing step-- was incorrectly changed to "oxidizing stop" in Claim 10, column 18, line 46 of the issued patent. Please note, due to claim canceling and renumbering, Claim 12 has become Claim 10 in the issued patent.

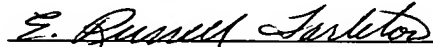
In Claim 23, line 3, as amended on June 16, 2003, --away from sinker regions.-- was incorrectly changed to "my from sinker regions." In Claim 21, column 19, line 23 of the issued patent. Please note, due to claim canceling and renumbering, Claim 23 has become Claim 21 in the issued patent.

In Claim 45, as filed on November 7, 2003, contains two errors; line 4, --said oxide layer;-- was incorrectly changed to "said oxide layer," in Claim 39, column 21, line 54 of

the issued patent; line 15, --forming step and comprising-- was incorrectly changed to "forming comprising" in Claim 39, column 22, line 7 of the issued patent. Please note, due to claim canceling and renumbering, Claim 45 has become Claim 39 in the issued patent.

Attached is form PTO/SB/44, which indicates the corrections to be made, by reference to the column and line numbers in the printed patent. Because the errors were made by the Patent Office, no fee is necessary. However if they are determined to be our errors, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

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It is certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page.

Item [74], "Eisa K. Jorgenson" should read as --Lisa K. Jorgenson--.

Column 18.

Line 46, "oxidizing stop" should read as --oxidizing step--.

Column 19.

Line 23, "my from sinker regions." should read as --away from sinker regions.--.

Column 21.

Line 54, "said oxide layer," should read as --said oxide layer;--.

Column 22.

Line 7, "forming comprising" should read as --forming step and comprising--.

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